## City of Miami Beach and the U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Present

## **Charting and GPS Concepts Seminar**

The City of Miami Beach and the U. S. Coast Guard Auxiliary are offering a 4 hour seminar on understanding the nautical chart and GPS concepts on Saturday October 28, 2006 from 9:00 am until 1:00 pm at:

Miami Beach Police Department 1100 Washington Avenue Training Room – 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Miami Beach, FL 33139

This seminar is for individuals who have a basic understanding of boating principals and would like to learn more about piloting and navigation.

## The course covers:

- 1. How to read a nautical chart.
- 2. Determining your position.
- 3. Cruise planning.
- 4. GPS terminology.
- 5. Principles of GPS.

This seminar is free, but we strongly urge you to bring a nautical chart of Biscayne bay (NOAA chart #11451 is preferred), a course plotting device, dividers, a .5 mm mechanical pencil and a plastic eraser. We will have a limited number of these supplies available for sale.

Class size is limited. Please RSVP by October 23, 2006 to Joel Aberbach at (786) 295-5432 or <a href="mailto:cinarig@aol.com">cinarig@aol.com</a>.